

Full Score

Monamnamat

9

Miniatures
for
String Orchestra

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The nine movements are very brief impressions, each one of them has a different musical idea. I wrote the second, the fifth, the seventh and the ninth movements in traditional notation. At variance, I added some graphic symbols and notational signs in the first, third, fourth, sixth and eighth movements. I tried to create some especial sound effects from the strings in particular pizzicato and glissando techniques. The work has a number of cantabile melodies, which are written from the incomplete Arabic scales "Maqamat". In general, I feel I composed a work that combines the Egyptian character and the post-modern style.

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I

(Long and Short Tone)

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Andante

(metronome in seconds)

Long tone measure ca (2" - 3")

Short tone measure (ca 1")

Violin I 3" 1" 3"

Violin II 3" 1" 3"

Viola 3" 1" 3"

Violoncello solo 3" vibrato 1" as fast as possible 3"

Contrabass 3" 1" 3"

4 3" solo vibrato (1"x3) 3 times 3"

Violin I 3" 1"x3 3 times 3"

Violin II 3" 1"x3 3 times 3"

Viola 3" 1"x3 3 times 3"

Violoncello 3" 1"x3 3 times 3"

Contrabass 3" 1"x3 3 times 3"

7

1" V *as fast as possible* 2" 1"

f *legatissimo*

1" 2" 1"

1" 2" 1"

1" 2" 1" V *f*

1" 2" 1"

10

Sul G

2" 1" 2" 2"

f *accel.* *fp* **Più mosso**

1" 2" 2" solo vibrato

f

2" 1" 2" 2"

fp **Più mosso**

2" 1" 2" 2"

Più mosso

2" 2"

Più mosso

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(1"x2) 2" 1" 2" *Sul A*

(1"x2) *as fast as possible* 2" 1" 2" *Sul D*

legatissimo

mf *port.* *mf* *port.*

(1"x2) 2" 1" 2"

(1"x2) 2" 1" 2"

B

18 1" 3" gliss. 3" tutti 3"

f *mp*

1" 3" gliss. 3" tutti 3"

f *mp*

solo as fast as possible

1" legatissimo

mf accel.

3" 3" tutti 3"

f *mp*

1" accel. 3" 3" tutti 3"

f *mp*

solo

1" accel. 3" 3"

f

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accel.

f
Più mosso

mp
Tempo

f
Più mosso

mp
Tempo

f
Più mosso

mp
Tempo

accel.

f
Più mosso

mp
Tempo

tutti

f
Più mosso

mp
Tempo

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**Più mosso****Tempo**